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SUBJECT: DRAFT LETTER TO UNSC PRESIDENT AND DRAFT UNGA
RESOLUTION ON KOREA

REF: STATE A) STATE 140957; B) USUN 3044 (NOTAL)

1. USUN HAS IMPLEMENTED INSTRUCTIONS PARA 5 REFTEL A. THOSE
IN DISCUSSION INCLUDED ROK UN MINISTER CHUNG, UKUN FIRST SECRETARY
HARDEN, AS WELL AS JAPAN UN MINISTER OHTAKA AND FIRST SECRETARY
IIJIMA.

2. ON BEHALF USUN, POLCOUNS STRESSED KEY TACTICAL IMPORTANCE OF
MAINTAINING CLOSE SECURITY ON CONSULTATIONS IN ORDER PRECLUDE
LEAKS WHICH MIGHT INSPIRE HASTY INSCRIPTION OF HOSTILE RESOLUTION.

3. MINISTER CHUNG REPORTED THAT NON-ALIGNED COORDINATING BUREAU
AMBASSADORIAL MEETING SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 18 TO CONSIDER INTER
ALIA INCLUSION OF ROK NAC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION ON AGENDA OF
LIMA MINISTERIAL PLENARY HAS BEEN POSTPONED FOR FIVE DAYS. THUS
LIKELIHOOD OF EARLY INSCRIPTION HOSTILE RESOLUTION ON KOREA
POSSIBLY REDUCED.

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4. AFTER REVIEW OF DRAFT LETTER TO UNSC PRESIDENT AND DRAFT FRIENDLY UNGA RESOLUTION, SEVERAL SUGGESTIONS MADE TO SUPPLEMENT PREAMBULAR PARAS OF RESOLUTION. THESE WOULD INCLUDE APPROPRIATE REFERENCE TO 29TH UNGA RESOLUTION 3333 AS WELL AS LANGUAGE SUGGESTED REF B REFERRING TO UNGA RESOLUTION 711 (VII), 28 AUGUST 1953 WHICH APPROVED ARMISTICE AGREEMENT AND TO UNGA RESOLUTION 811 (IX), 11 DECEMBER 1954 REFERRING TO ARMISTICE AGREEMENT. TEXT OF DRAFT RESOLUTION INCLUDING SUGGESTED ADDITIONAL TO PREAMBULAR PARAS CONTAINED CONCLUDING SECTION THIS MESSAGE.

5. THERE WAS FULL AGREEMENT ON NEED TO AVOID LEAKS. WITH THIS IN MIND, GROUP CONCLUDED THAT ROKUN SUPPORTED BY USUN SHOULD APPROACH INDIVIDUALLY CANADIAN, NEW ZEALAND, COSTA RICAN AND NETHERLANDS MISSION TO INVITE THEIR COSPONSORSHIP OF RESOLUTION SUBMITTED TO UNSYG FOR INSCRIPTION. FEELING WAS THAT, SINCE THERE WERE SIX INITIAL COSPONSORS OF FRIENDLY RESOLUTION IN 1974, IT DESIRABLE HAVE AT LEAST SIX IN 1975. WITH CANADA, COSTA RICA, NEW ZEALAND, NETHERLANDS, UK, JAPAN AND US, THERE WOULD BE SIX INITIAL SPONSORS THIS YEAR. ADDITIONALLY, THERE WAS FORESEEN DESIRABILITY OF CALLING TOGETHER OTHER COUNTRIES, NUMBERING ABOUT 20, MENTIONED IN SEOUL 4298 AND USUN 2004 TO A MEETING IMMEDIATELY BEFORE SUBMISSION OF LETTER TO UNSC PRESIDENT AND DRAFT UNGA RESOLUTION TO UNSYG. THOSE COUNTRIES WOULD BE INFORMED OF STEPS ABOUT TO BE TAKEN AND INVITED TO JOIN AS COSPONSORS AT THEIR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE.

6. GIVEN KEY IMPORTANCE OF BEATING INSCRIPTION OF HOSTILE RESOLUTION, WE WISH MOVE AHEAD SOONEST, PREFERABLY JUNE 18, IN APPROACHES TO CANADIAN, NEW ZEALAND, COSTA, RICAN AND NETHERLANDS MISSIONS AND REQUEST TELEPHONIC AUTHORIZATION TO DO SO.

7. HARDEN AND OHTAKA PROMISED TO URGE PROMPTTEST ACTION AND TIGHTEST SECURITY BY THEIR GOVERNMENTS AND TO REQUEST COMMENT AND COSPONSORSHIP APPROVAL BY JUNE 20. USUN UNDERLINED THAT DRAFT TEXTS AS PRESENTED JUNE 17 STILL SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION BY US AND ROK.

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8. TEXT OF DRAFT RESOLUTION WITH PROPOSED ADDITIONAL AS DISCUSSED WITH ROKUN, UKUN AND JAPAN UN FOLLOWS:

QUOTE:

"THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

DESIRING THAT PROGRESS BE MADE TOWARDS THE ATTAINMENT

OF THE GOAL OF PEACEFUL REUNIFICATION OF KOREA ON THE BASIS
OF THE FREELY EXPRESSED WILL OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE,

RECALLING ITS SATISFACTION WITH THE ISSUANCE OF THE
JOINT COMMUNIQUE AT SEOUL AND PYONGYANG ON 4 JULY 1972 AND
THE DECLARED INTENTION OF BOTH THE SOUTH AND THE NORTH OF
KOREA TO CONTINUE THE DIALOGUE BETWEEN THEM,

FURTHER RECALLING THAT BY ITS RESOLUTION 711 (VII), ADOPTED
ON 28 AUGUST 1953, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY NOTED WITH APPROVAL
THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENT OF 27 JULY 1963, AND THAT IT EXPRESSLY
TOOK NOTE OF THE PROVISION OF THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENT, WHICH
REQUIRES THE AGREEMENT SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL EXPRESSLY
SUPERSEDED EITHER BY MUTUALLY ACCEPTABLE AMENDMENTS AND
ADDITIONS OR BY PROVISION IN AN APPROPRIATE AGREEMENTS FOR A
PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT AT A POLITICAL LEVEL BETWEEN BOTH SIDES IN
ITS RESOLUTION 811 (IX) OF 11 DECEMBER 1954,

BEARING IN MIND THE HOPE THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL WILL
GIVE CONSIDERATION TO THOSE ASPECTS OF THE KOREAN QUESTION WHICH
FALL WITHIN ITS RESPONSIBILITIES, AS EXPRESSED BY THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN ITS RESOLUTION 3333 (XXIX) OF 17 DECEMBER 1974,

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